

GAME.

GENERAL CAMPBELL requests his Friends who have been accustomed to take their sport on the Grounds of Boghuan and Easer Glentiran, to give the GAME, that are much diminished since the storm of 1794, the next season to recruit.

The Game-keeper has orders to keep poachers from shooting there; and the tenants are directed to stop, or give the name and description of every person that hunts without a written order, to the Factor at Stirling for prosecution.

Boghuan, 3d August 1798.

Extraordinary proofs of the superior efficacy of Spilsbury's Antiseptic Drops, displayed in the following cases:

M R GORE, bookseller, Liverpool, favoured the proprietor with the case of a boy cured of the leprosy in that neighbourhood.

Also two remarkable cases of the scurvy and rheumatism, sent to the proprietor by Mr Carey, bookseller, of Hepton Matlet, Somersetshire.

The memorable and extraordinary case of John Palmer near fifty years of age, who had been afflicted twelve years, with near fifty ulcers, and deemed incurable by the faculty, cured by Mr Spilsbury's Drops.

The case of Henrietta Pateron, cured of an inveterate scurvy, of ten years standing, by Mr Spilsbury's Drops. Attested by John Cardairs, and George Wright, surgeons, Edinburgh; Thomas Mathew, Robert Walker, College Kirk, Edinburgh.

A child of three years old, who had been subject to irritating eruptions and blisters over different parts of his body, from his birth, is now cured by taking a few of Mr Spilsbury's 5s. bottles of Drops. Further particulars, with a reference to the party in the neighbourhood of Bristol, may be known by applying to William Browne, bookseller, Tolsey, Bristol.

Mr Thomas Wilson, No. 15, King's Street, St. James's Square, London, cured of an inflammation on his face and body, attended with eruptions, by eight small bottles of these drops.

The drops are sold at the Dispensary in Soho Square—and

Mr Scott, Apothecary, and 3 South Bridge,
Mr J. Baxter, Italian Warehouse, Edinburgh,
Mr Kelts, Perfumer, New Town Edinburgh.

Are appointed Wholesale Agents, where the inhabitants of Scotland, and the Venders of patent medicines may be supplied on the same terms as at the Dispensary, Soho Square.

These drops may also be had in bottles of 1s. 2s. and 5s.

each, day included, of

Mr John Buchan, jun. Sun Fire Office, Glasgow.

J. MacLean and J. Duncan, Mill Morison & Son, Perth.

Mr Thomson, Aberdeen

A. Barry, Paisley Mr Dickson, druggist, and

Maclean, Greenock

McIntosh, Inglis & Wilson, Walker & Hodson, Newgate

Inverness—Tho. Cave, Banff

John Allan, Dundee

Mr Scott, surgeon, Kelso

Mr Dick, Surgeon, Dandie

Mr Anderdon, Stirling

Mr Gray, merch. Haw

SALE OF LANDS IN AYRSHIRE,
AND HOUSES IN KILMARNOCK.

ADJOURNED AT DESIRE OF INTENDING PURCHASERS.

To be SOLD by public roup, upon Friday the 10th of August 1798, at twelve o'clock mid-day, within the Sun Inn, Kilmarock, (and not the Angel Inn, as formerly advertised.)

THE following LANDS and HOUSES, which belonged, in whole or in part, to the late Mr. PATERSON of Kains-

hill, in the lots after mentioned:

Lot I.—The LANDS of HILLHOUSE, MOSSIDE, and WHITEHILLLOCH, with the tennants, lying in the parish of Riccarton, and shire of Ayr. The lands hold of the Prince, of a brown loam and clay soil, and consist, according to a measurement made by William Crawford, of about 117 acres, of which Whitehillloch contains about 20 acres. It is full of snails, and at the expence of 20s. may be made the best land in the farm. The lands of Hillhouse are let for nineteen years from Martinmas 1789, at 7s. per acre, and the rent, and the weinstock part of Whitehillloch, are at present possessed by John Merry, without a lease, at 3s. per annum, but will let from 2s. to 3s. per acre upon a nineteen years lease. The whole of this lot lies in the immediate neighbourhood of a lime quarry, at which lime for manure may be got at a small expence. The proprietor has a right to the tennants, and the public burdens are not much.—The up-let price of this lot will be 342s. 8s. 4d.

Lot II.—The LANDS of LOCHEND, RIGHEAD, and BORN MILL, with the tennants and pertinents, lying within the parish of Galston, and shire of Ayr.

These lands hold, branch of a subject superior. They contain about 220 acres, are of a good clay soil, well inclosed and subdivided, and abound with lime of a superior quality. They are at present out of lease, but would let on a lease at 2s. to 2s. 4d. per acre. There is no stipend payable out of the lands, and the other public burdens are not great.—The up-let price of this lot will be 450s.

Lot III.—The FORE HOUSE on the East Side of the New Street of Kilmarnock, leading to the Green, belonging to the late Mr. Pateron, and now or lately possessed by John Thomson and William Allan. The rent of this house is 8s. 10s. subject to the expence of repairs.—The up-let price will be 70s.

Lot IV.—The SHOPS or BOOTHS and LOFT at Bridge of Kilmarnock, now or lately possessed by Nathaniel Hodge. The yearly value of these subjects is about 1s. 1d. subject to the expence of repairs, and about 1s. 1d. of feu-duty—and the up-let price will be 1s.

Lot V.—The HOUSES & YARDS in Backside or Smiddyside of Kilmarnock, possessed by John McMillan and John Auld. The yearly rent of these subjects is 16s. 10s. subject to the expence of repairs, and 1s. 17s. 7d. 8-12ths of feu-duty.—The up-let price will be 12s. 1s. 7d.

Lot VI.—A FEU-DUTY of 7s. yearly, payable by the Seceding Congregation of Kilmarnock to the late Mr. Pateron.—The up-let price of this lot will be 1s. 1d.

Lot VII.—Certain other FEU-DUTIES payable to Mr. Pateron, amounting to 1s. 8d. yearly—at the up-let price of 1s. 1s. 4d.

Persons desirous of viewing the lands may apply to William Parker, Esq. Kilmarnock, or Mr. William Brown, writer there; and for other information as to the lands of Lochend and Righead, application may be made to John Hunter, clerk to the signet, and as to the whole to Thomas Adair, clerk to the signet.

LANDS IN THE COUNTY OF FÖRFAR.

To be SOLD by public roup, within the house of Mr. Hunter, vintner in Forfar, upon Friday the 17th day of August 1798, at one o'clock afternoon.

THE LANDS of KINCRIEIGH, with those parts after mentioned of the Lands of KINCALDRUM, and that either together, or in the following lots, as purchasers may incline.

Lot I.—Being a Part of the Lands of Kincaldrum, with the Mansion-house and Garden, consisting of 134 Scots acres of good arable land, inclosed partly with stone dykes, and partly with thriving hedges. The whole inclosures of these lands are well watered, and they are out of lease, so that the purchaser will get immediate access.

Lot II.—Being Part of the Lands of Kincrieigh, consisting of 189 Scots acres, all arable, and capable of great improvement. The present leases terminate with crop 1799. There is a good stone fence in the ground, for inclosing or building houses; and as the land for some lengths lies along the turnpike road leading from Forfar to Dundee, it might be feued out to manufacturers to great advantage.

Lot III.—Comprises the remainder of the Lands of Kincrieigh, and the Govals, and consists of 331 Scots acres.—The present leases of these lands expire with crop 1799.

The whole of these lands are contiguous to one another, and are within about seven miles of the town of Dundee, and five of the town of Forfar, to both which towns there is communication and easy access, by an excellent turnpike road lately made.

There will be attached to the above lots, if sold together, or in one of the above lots, if sold separately, a Superiority affording a Freshhold Qualification in the county, if the purchasers incline.

The title deeds are in the hands of Frederick Fotheringham and Alexander Pearson, writers to the signet, to whom, or to Mr. Bower the proprietor, at his house of Kinnettles, any person who is desirous to purchase the whole lands, or any of the lots, by private bargain before the day of sale, or who wishes any further information, may apply.

N. B. The sale of the lands was formerly advertised to take place within the house of Mr. Gordon, vintner in Dundee, but it is now altered to Mr. Hunter's house in Forfar.

ARCHANGEL TAR AND GREASE BUTTER.

Just arrived and to be sold by JOHN WATSON and Co.

CARGO OF ARCHANGEL TAR, fit for Sheep-salving.

They have also for sale, American Tar and Grease Butter, of different kinds.

Leith, 3d August 1798.

SALE OF LANDS AND A PATRONAGE
IN ABERDEENSHIRE.

To be SOLD by public roup, within the Royal Exchange Coffe-houfe, Edinburgh, upon Wednesday 21st November 1798, at one afternoon, if not previously disposed of by private bargain.

THE ESTATE OF SLAINS, consisting of more than 2000 Scots acres, divided into three lots, which will be sold altogether in lots, as purchasers may incline. Near 2000 acres of the Land are rich infold; above 2000 good Outfield, and more than 1900 acres of fine Pasture Land, a great part of which is very improvable. About 4500 acres are peculiarly well adapted for corn, turnips, broad clover, and feeding pastures; and from the situation of the property in regard to markets and manure, no estate in the country can be improved at less expense.—ALSO THE PATRONAGE of the United Parishes of Slains and Furvie.

The whole property lies very compact for a single purchase, being on a medium about 5 miles in length, by more than 2 in breadth. If sold separately, the property will be exposed as under:

Lots	A. Y.	F. B. Y.	F. S.	L. S.	D. L.	S. D.	Scots measure Bear Meal Money Rent. Total Rent*	
							80	63 2
I.	426	3 37						
Outfield,	537	0 18						
Pasture	1209	1 30						
Muir, Lochs of Water, &c	564	1 17						
Benty Hills,								
Total of Lot I.	2737	3 22						
Lot II.								
Infeld,	332	0 3						
Outfield,	945	0 10						
Pasture	393	2 10						
Moss, Muir, Loch of Water, Benty Hills,	409	1 25						
Total of Lot 2.	2080	0 8						
Lot III.								
Infeld,	225	3 1						
Outfield,	376	2 15						
Pasture	352	2 5						
Muir, Lochs of Water, &c	29	3 1						
Benty Hills,								
Total of Lot 3.	1384	3 12						
Total,	6222	3 2 16 1						

* The Bear is converted at 18s. and the Meal at 15s. being under the medium of the last seven years sale.

N. B. There are about 300 acres of the mosses stated above, at lot 2d, which will afterwards be divided amongst the three lots. And as the above measurements have been taken from a plan made in 1792, considerable portions of what is here stated as out-field, have since been improved and converted into infiel, and parts of the moss and pasture have likewise brought into tillage.

The whole lands are at present very low rented, and few of the leases suffice after Whitunday 1798, when a great advance of rent may be demanded. A small part of the property is in the natural possession of the proprietor, upon which there is a moderate value put, but the whole does not exceed £64 sterling, including the value of part of the fuel dug in the town of Colliestown attached to these lands.

The lands lie along the sea coast for more than seven miles, and on both sides of the great road leading from Aberdeen to Peterhead, by Water-side. The south part within fourteen English miles of the former, and the north part within ten of the latter.

The new turnpike road from Aberdeen to Peterhead by Ellon, passes within 1/2 English miles of the Ferry at Water-side; and it has been proposed to have a branch road to run from thence in nearly a direct line by Ythan, to join this new road, which can be done at little expence.

The present road from Aberdeen to Peterhead, by Water-side, runs through the centre of lot 1st for more than three miles, and afterwards continues two miles, as the march between lots 1d and 2d, in nearly a parallel line to the sea, and at no part more than 1/2 English miles distant from it.

A great part of this road has been repaired of late at a considerable expence, and is one of the best to be met with in the country.

The river Ythan, which is navigable for a considerable way up, runs along the fourth extremity of the property for more than two miles, and is much used for shipping of meal and grain, and coal and lime can be got there almost at any time.

The north parts of the property have the advantage of being within three English miles of the harbour of Wardhill, to which there is easy communication by good roads, and where coal and lime can also be had, and grain and meal put on ship board during the summer season without danger or risk; and as very little expence will improve this harbour, the proprietors of land in that neighbourhood intend to make it safe for vessels of 100 tons burden at any time.

There are two corn mills upon lot 1st, and two upon lot 2d, all well supplied with water in the drieft seasons of the year, and there is a convenient situation for erecting one upon lot 3d, where a great supply of water can also be constantly had. Upon different parts of lots 1st and 2d there are likewise many fit situations for erecting machinery to be wrought by water. The mill of Leaf, on lot 2d, has a valuable throng upon the lands of two neighbouring proprietors to the extent of twelve ploughs labouring, and from the improvements making upon their estates, the throng will in the course of a few years be considerably increased. This mill was very lately built, and is one of the completest in the country.

There is lying in the heart of the estate a range of small hills, containing inexhaustible stores of limestone and limstone gravel, part of which is included into each lot; and there is also upon many of the farms great variety of a fine shelly sand, of calcareous nature; all of which are found to be very valuable materials.

The gravel lies to the very surface, and is mixed with the limestone in sizes from one to eight, or ten pounds weight; the calcareous sand is likewise very easily got at.

There is a fishery of about 60 families, is a great acquisition to the property, by supplying the inhabitants with abundance of fish at a cheap rate, and producing large quantities of manure yearly for the improvement of the land, namely, shell dung. There is also a good harbour there that will admit of vessels of 80 tons burthen. Another fish farm lies about a mile further north, situated within lot 3d.

The loch of Slains, lying in the middle of the land, covering about 54 acres, well stored with pike and perch, is a great ornament to the property.

The whole estate lies completely connected, being bounded upon the east and south by the German Ocean and river Ythan, and the west and north boundaries with the neighbouring proprietors are very regular. It comprises about 7-8ths of the united parishes of Slains and Furvie, the patronage of which will be attached to lot 1st; and to this lot will also be attached the right of falcon fishing in the sea, north from Ythan mouth.

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The French General Baraguay d' Hilliers, taken in
the Sensible French frigate, in the Mediterranean, with
two other officers and their servants, have received their
passports from Government to go on parole to France,
and not to serve until regularly exchanged. This is
done at a time when all other exchanges are at a stand.

The French General Baraguay d' Hilliers, is a tall man, between thirty and forty years of age, but has the appearance of a much older man, from imitating Van Butchell in the length of his beard, which reaches down to his middle. He wears his hair, which is remarkably long, quite straight, and overshadowing his face, in such a manner as only to leave his two eyes visible. His aides de camp, are remarkable for the smallness of their persons.

PARIS—July 27.

The French troops which extend from the north sea to Switzerland, are now to form one army only, the advanced guard of which is to be commanded by General Lefebvre; the right wing by General Joubert; and the left wing by General Hatry. The Commander of the centre, and the Commander in Chief are not yet spoken of.

We are assured that Buonaparte, on quitting Malta, left 6000 men in garrison in that place, and carried with him 1500 sailors, whom he had got there.

It appears to be believed at the Luxembourg, that Buonaparte is happily arrived at Alexandria. We have scarcely any news respecting him, because the English have, it is said, intercepted several packet-boats which were bringing intelligence. It is thought that the packet which was carrying Tallien after Buonaparte has been also taken; General Lanus was on board.

Tippoo Saib has sent Ambassadors to the Isle of France. They carried home with them a corps of six hundred Frenchmen, who may be of service in our future plans.

JULY 29.

Les Journal des Frans assures us that Baraguay D' Hilliers, sent from Malta by Buonaparte, to carry to the Directory the standards of the Order, the great Culverine of Soliman, and several other articles (it is even said considerable sums of money) has been taken, with the frigate on board which he was, and carried to England.

No intelligence of our Squadron, nor of that of the English in the Mediterranean, has yet reached us.

A report has been in circulation for these some days past, that the Continental Peace had been signed at Rastadt, and the funds raised in consequence of it.

The last Bulletin from Raffadt renders this news very improbable. That peace will however be signed in a short time, we have little doubt, as a letter from one of our Plenipotentiaries at Rastadt assures us of it. But it is certainly not signed.

EDINBURGH RACES.

Saturday, a very keen race was run between Captain Fletcher's bay mare and Mr Kincaid's Triflue.

Triflue gained the first, and Captain Fletcher's mare

gained the two last heats.

A hack race succeeded, which afforded two good

heats.

ENTRY FOR THE DAY.

Mr Imry's Sparrowhawk,

Mr Dickson's brown horse,

The first heat was very close.

HIGH COURT OF JUSTICIARY.

This day is fixed for the trial of ALEXANDER MAC-

BONEL, Esq. of Glengary.

The following indictment has been preferred against him:

George, &c. Whereas it is humbly meant and com-

plained to us by our right trusty Robert Dumbas, Esq. of Ardmont, our advocate, for our interest, upon ALEXANDER MACDONELL, Esq. of Glengary: That albeit, by the laws of God, the laws of this, and of every other well governed realm, murder is a crime of an heinous nature, and severely punishable, yet true it is, and of verity, that the said Alexander Macdonell, above complained upon, is guilty actor, or art and part, of the foreaid crime; in so far as he did, on the 3d day of May last, in the year 1798, or upon one or other of the days of that month, or of the month of April immediately preceding, or of the month of June immediately following, on the muir or links between Fort George and Arderfer, parish of Ardmont, and county of Inverness, wickedly and feloniously discharge a pistol loaded with ball at the now deceased LIEUTENANT NORMAN MACLEOD of the 42d regiment of foot; in consequence of which, the said Lieutenant Norman Macleod was wounded on the right side immediately under the arm, the ball having penetrated through the right arm-pit into the back; and notwithstanding every medical assistance having been immediately procured, the said Lieutenant Norman Macleod did, in consequence of the wound given him, as aforesaid, by the said Alexander Macdonell, expire on the 3d day of June thereafter: And a paper, entitled, "Note of the appearances on Lieutenant Macleod's body upon examination after death," and signed "James Roy, garrison surgeon, James Moir, Southern Fencible regiment," being to be used in evidence against the said Alexander Macdonell, will, for that purpose, be lodged in due time in the hands of the Clerk of the High Court of Justiciary, before which he is to be tried, that he may have an opportunity of seeing the same. At least, time and place above labelled, the said Lieutenant Norman Macleod was murdered, and the said Alexander Macdonell, above complained upon, is guilty actor, or art and part of the foreaid crime: All which, or part thereof, being found proven, by the verdict of an assize, before our Lord Justice General, Lord Justice Clerk, and Lords Commissioners of Justiciary, in a Court of Justiciary to be held by them within the Criminal Court-house of Edinburgh, on the 6th day of August next, the said Alexander Macdonell, above complained upon, ought to be punished with the pains of law, to deter others from committing the like crime in all time coming. Our will is, &c. Dated and signed 10th July, 1798.

Further particulars in our next.

IRELAND.

HOUSE OF COMMONS—July 30.

Mr O'DONNEL arose to express his approbation of

the measures adopted by the Marquis Cornwallis for the extinction of rebellion, and the restoration of the country to peace and quietty. He conceived that by the merciful and humane line of conduct pursued by his Excellency, the country could alone be saved, without them of horrible and grievous waste of its blood, and he hoped the happiest consequences from a continued action on this humane system. He was, however, surprised and indignant, to hear persons exclaiming without doors against these measures of mercy, while within doors they were wholly silent on the subject. This surprise and indignation was not lessened by the consideration that those clamours were raised, without examining the grounds of this mercy, or waiting to see its effects; and he intimated his intention of moving on Wednesday next, an address to his Excellency the Marquis Cornwallis, thanking him for his past measures, and expressing confidence in his future ones. Thus the sentiments entertained by every member of that House on the subject would be brought to the test.

Mr O'DONNEL likewise said, that if not taken out

of his hands by some more suitable person, he would

move the House to take into consideration a paragraph

in *The Courier*, of the 25th inst. flagrantly libellous

of some of the first characters in this country, and to

whose early and continued exertions its salvation was owing. This infamous paragraph stated those per-

sons as unfit to partake in the Government of Ireland,

and marked them out as objects of assassination. It was

in vain that the Irish press was restrained from an injurious and criminal licence, if disaffection was to be

spread in this country, through the medium of a Lon-

don print—and the first and best characters in Ireland

wantonily vilified and abused. He would not dwell

longer on the subject now, but would certainly bring it

forward at a future day.

JULY 31.

After some routine business, the Attorney General

presented the Attaindee Bill against the estates of B.

B. Harvey and C. Grogan, Esqrs. for High Treason

and Rebellion.—It was read the first time.

Mr ATTORNEY GENERAL explained that as this

bill would go to affect the rights of their persons, he

should, in order to give ample time to those whom it

might concern to come forward by petition or council

on their own behalf, move that the bill be read the sec-

ond time on the 9th of August.

Mr MOORE made some objections to the princi-

ple of the bill, a participating of the persecuting spirit

of the old feudal system, and recommended assimilation

to the British principle in like bills.

Mr ATTORNEY GENERAL defended the principle of

his bill as absolutely necessary to the preservation of

this country.

Mr DOBBS in very warm and energetic terms, de-

precated every thing like a spirit of persecution, animo-

city, or resentment at this important crisis, pregnant as

it was with the fate of the country. He conjured the

House to cast a veil of oblivion over the faults of the

people, and, having fallen into some errors themselves,

not too proudly to forget that they were, men; and as

men inherited the common fate of error. The lenient

and bright example of the Marquis Cornwallis he ear-

nestly recommended to their imitation, and the lenity

of that venerated Nobleman he highly and most cordially

approved of as the only species of policy that could

rescue Ireland from destruction, to render it a country

fit to inhabit. He disclaimed all party or personal mo-

ties—he was guided by nothing but a zealous with for

the salvation of his country, and to that great end the

cordial concurrence of the House in the spirit of those

humane measures adopted by the Marquis Cornwallis

would tend.

The bill being read the first time, was ordered the

second reading on the 9th of August.

Mr SERGEANT STANLEY presented a petition against the

bill on behalf of Mr Grogan Kid, brother, and next

heir to Cornelius Grogan. Ordered to lie on the

table.

The Right Hon. Lord CASTLEREAGH moved that

the House do at its present rising adjourn to Thursday

evening.

DUBLIN—July 31.

Monday a further rapine was inflicted for Mr Oliver

Bond, and on Sunday last Arthur O'Connor, Esq.

Counsellor Sampson, Doctor McNevin, Counsellor East-

mett, and others charged with High Treason, under-

went an examination, previous to their obtaining the

conditional terms, of being banished the country for ever

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Shipping Intelligence.

CLASGOW TONTINE LIST.

Lord Duncaen, —, is arrived at Jamaica, from Liverpool,

Edward, Wilson, at Barbadoes, from —, do.

Mary, Lyon, at St Vincent, from the Clyde.

Helema, Bain, at Jamaica, from —, do.

Elizabeth, Raside, at do, do.

True Briton, Wells, at do, do.

Harlequin, Topping, at St Kitt's, from Africa.

SOUND—PASSED UPWARDS.

July 23. Active, Milne, from Dundee for the Baltic, ballast.

John Malcolm, from Kirkcaldy for Petersburgh, do.

William, Barton, from Dundee for do, do.

Sea Flower, Bell, from Weymouth for Dantzic, do.

Industry, Eales, from Dundee for the Baltic, do.

James and David, Caine, from do for do, do.

Eliza, Stewart, from Leith for Petersburgh, do.

London Packet, Robson, from Dundee for the Baltic, do.

Charlotte, Strong, from Alton for do, do.

Carrier, Ogilvie, from do for Menel, do.

Margreth, Miller, from Kirkcaldy for Copenhagen, coal.

Jamie and Ann, Mackie, from do for Pillau, do.

Marquis of Lorn, White, from Bo'ness for Petersburgh, do.

Hercules, Baxter, from Kirkcaldy for Menel, ballast.

Mary, Guere, from Dundee for Petersburgh, do.

Margareth, Kinnear, from do for do, do.

Speedwell, Mackin, from do for the Baltic, do.

I.mond, Keller, from do for do, do.

Fame, Curtis, from Dundee, for the Baltic, ballast.

Jane and Margaret, Lamond, from Greenock, for do, do.

Roman, Ure, from Eyemouth, for ditto, ditto.

Commerce, Martin, ditto, ditto, ditto.

Rose, Duncan, from Aberdeen, for Dantzic, ditto.

Katherine, Adamson, from Kirkcaldy, for the Baltic, do.

John, Allan, from Banff, for Petersburgh, do.

Fame, Henderson, from Dundee, for the Baltic, do.

LOUIS XVI.—LATE KING OF FRANCE.

Extract from the Journal of M. Cerry, relative to the treatment of Louis XVI. and his family, during their confinement in the Temple.

The King and his family, when they went out to walk, were under the necessity of passing a number of sentinels, of whom a great many even at that period, were stationed in the interior of the little tower. These fellows always presented their arms to the Municipal Officers and the Commanders of Legions, but when his Majesty approached them, they either ground their pieces, or with palpable wilfulness held them with the butt uppermost. One of these fellows, who was on guard in the interior, had the insolence one day to write upon the inside of the door of his Majesty's apartment, "The guillotine is always ready, and waits for the tyrant Louis XVI." The King read these words, but on my making a motion to efface them, he desired me to let them alone.

One of the porters belonging to the Tower, whose name was Rocher, a horrible looking fellow dressed like a pioneer, with a pair of prodigious whiskers, a black hairy cap on his head, an immense sabre by his side, and a bunch of mafly keys tied to his girdle, always appeared at the door whenever he understood the King wanted to go out; but he took care never to open it till his Majesty was just by his side, and then under pretence of closing the right key from the bunch, rattling them all the while with a frightful noise, he purposely kept the Royal Family waiting, till at length he drove back the bolts. Then running quickly down before them, he placed himself by the side of the last door, with a long pipe in his jaws, and at the members of the Royal Family passed him, but in particular the Princesses, he blew clouds of tobacco smoke in their faces.—Several of the national guards were highly amused with this insolence, and used to gather round him with loud shouts of laughter at every puff, at the same time degrading themselves by the most detestable conversation.—Some of them indeed, to enjoy the joke the more at their ease, brought a parcel of chairs out of the guard-house, and their seated themselves! by this means almost wholly blocking up the narrow passage. While the family were taking their melancholy walk, the engineers flocked together to enjoy the dance, shouting forth all the while songs, at best revolutionary, frequently obscene.

On their return to the Tower, the family were exposed to a repetition of the same insults: frequently the walls were covered over with the most indecent scrawls, written in a large character, purposely to attract their notice. Sometimes, for instance, you might read "Madame Veto shall kick in the air yet . . . We know how to melt the old Hog's grease . . . Down with the red ribbon . . . Choak the young wolves in time." &c. Sometimes they portrayed a gallows with a figure hanging upon it, under which was written, "Louis taking the air-bath." At other times, a Guillotine, with the inscription, "Louis spitting in a bag," &c.

There were periods, however, when some tokens of loyalty or sympathy were exhibited, which softened the horrors of these dreadful persecutions, producing the deeper effect that they occurred but too rarely.

One of the soldiers upon guard was stationed at the door of her Majesty's apartment: He was an inhabitant of the suburbs, and was dressed with much neatness, though in a peasant's garb. I was sitting alone in the outer chamber with a book in my hand, when I observed that he was looking at me with fixed attention, and appeared much agitated. I rose up to pass him, but, after presenting his arms to me, he said with a faulting voice, "you cannot pass here."—Why not?"

"My orders are to keep you constantly in my sight."—"You are under a mistake," said I.—"What! Sir, are you not the King?"—"You do not know his Majesty then?"—"No, Sir, I have never seen him; but I would to heaven I could see him anywhere but here."—"Hush! speak low; I am now going into that chamber; I will leave the door ajar, and you shall see the King. He is sitting near the window with a book in his hand. I communicated to the Queen the inclination the soldier had expressed, and her Majesty having acquainted the King, he had the goodness to walk from the one chamber to the other in order to indulge him. After he had returned, I went up to the soldier again, "Ah! Sir (said he) how good the King is! Ah! how much he loves his children!" The poor fellow was so much affected, that he could hardly speak. "No (cried he, striking his breast), I cannot believe he has done us so much evil." I was fearful lest his excessive agitation should betray him, and left him.

On the 21st day of September, at four o'clock in the afternoon, a Municipal Officer called Lubin, surrounded by a number of Gendarmes on horseback, and an immense crowd of people, came before the Tower to read a proclamation. The trumpets sounded, and every thing was silent. We then could distinctly hear proclaimed, the abolition of royalty, and the establishment of a Republic.

The same evening I acquainted the King, that there was a want of additional curtains and bed-clothes for the Prince's bed, as the weather was now beginning to grow cold. His Majesty ordered me to write down the demand, which he signed. In this card I made use of exactly the same expressions as formerly; such as, "The King demands for his son, &c." . . . "You are extremely insolent, said Desfournes, to dare to make use of a title which has been abolished by the voice of the people, as you have this moment heard." I told him that I had indeed heard a proclamation read, but that I knew nothing whatever of its purport. "Why, then, I'll inform you, said I; it proclaimed the abolition of royalty; and you may tell that gentleman, pointing to the King, that he ought instantly to drop a title which the people no longer recognize."—"I cannot change this billet, replied I, because the King has already signed it; he would ask me the reason of it, and you know very well that it does not belong to me to inform him."—"As to that, you may do what you please (said he); only I must inform you, that I will not forward your demand in its present shape." Next day, Madame Elizabeth ordered me, when I wrote for any thing in future, to make use of the following terms: "It is necessary for the service of Louis XVI. . . . of Marie Antoinette . . . of Louis Charles . . . of Marie Therese . . . of Marie Elizabeth," &c.

I had hitherto been obliged to make these demands very often. The small quantity of linen in their Majesty's possession, had been lent them by persons belong-

ing to the Court * during the time they were detained at the Feuillans, it being impossible to procure any from the Palace at the Tuilleries, every thing there having been given up to pillage on the tenth of August. The Royal Family were particularly in want of wearing apparel, the Princesses being obliged every day to mend their old ones, and it frequently happened, before she could get his Majesty's, that Madame Elizabeth was obliged to wait till he was in bed. At last, however, I got an order, after a thousand applications, that some new linen should be made for them; but the sempstresses having unfortunately marked it all with a Crown over the names, the Municipal Officers insisted that the Princesses should pick out these symbols of royalty, and they were obliged to comply.

I learned, from a Municipal Officer, on the 26th of September, that they were planning the separation of the King from his family, and that the apartment in the great Tower, which they had appointed for his reception, would soon be ready. With extreme caution I unfolded to the King this new invention of cruelty, assuring him how deeply I felt in being thus obliged to afflict him. "You cannot confer on me," replied his Majesty, "a stronger testimony of affection; I require that your zeal may conceal nothing; I am prepared for all. Discover, if you can, the day of the cruel separation, that you may give me notice."

On the 29th of September, at ten o'clock in the morning, five or six Municipal Officers appeared in the Queen's apartment, where the Royal Family were assembled. One of them, called Charbonnier, read to the King an arrete of the Council of the Commune, which enjoined them "to carry away the pens, ink, paper, pencils, and even manuscripts that might be found about the persons, and in the apartments of the prisoners; as also those of the valet de chambre, and other servants in the Tower; and when you want any thing," added he, "Clergy may come down and write your requests in a register which will remain in the hall of the Council."

The King and his family, without uttering the slightest animadversion, searched themselves, and gave up their papers, pencils, pocket instruments, &c. The officers then searched the apartments and cabinets, taking out the articles specified in the arrete. I was informed by one of them that this very night the King was to be removed into the great Tower. I was enabled to convey this intelligence to the Queen by means of Madame Elizabeth.

In truth, after supper as the King was retiring from the Queen's apartment to go up to his own, a Municipal Officer desired him to stay, the Council having something to communicate. A quarter of an hour after, the Municipal Officers, who in the morning had carried off the papers, again entered, and read to the King a second arrete of the Commune, which decreed his removal to the great Tower. The King, although apprised of this event, was sensibly agitated anew by its completion.

His disconsolate family, meanwhile, were striving to read in the eyes of the officers the whole extent of their designs. The King whilst leaving them heard their adieu with the most alarming premonitions, and this separation, the forerunner of so many calamities, was among the most afflicting moments which their Majesties had hitherto experienced in the Temple. I followed the King into his new prison.

His Majesty's apartment in the great Tower was by no means yet finished. There was in it no furniture excepting one bed. The painters and workmen were still employed in it, insomuch that an intolerable smell was diffused throughout, which I feared would be hurtful to the King. They had appointed for me an apartment very remote from the King. I earnestly implored to be brought nearer.

I passed the first night on a chair beside his Majesty, who, next day, with much difficulty, obtained for me an apartment adjoining to his own. After his Majesty had risen, I wanted to return to the Little Tower, to dress the young prince; the Municipal Officers prevented me. Veron, one of them, said to me, "You are to have no more communication with the pifioners, nor is your master to have any more; he must not even again see his children." At nine o'clock, the King desired that he might be conducted to his family. "We have no authority for that," said the officers. His Majesty then dropped a few observations. They made no reply.

In half an hour afterwards, two Municipal Officers entered, followed by a boy, who carried to the King a bit of bread and a glass of lemonade for his breakfast. He expressed to them his desire to dine with his family. They answered, that they would require the commands of the Commune. "But," rejoined the King, "my valet de chambre may go down; it is he who attends my son, and there is nothing to prevent his continuance in his service."—"That is not in our option," said the officers, and withdrew.

During this interval, I was in a corner of the apartment, sunk in grief, and a prey to the most heart-breaking reflections on the fate of this august family. On the one hand, I beheld the sorrows of my master, whilst on the other, I imagined the young prince abandoned to other hands. They had even already hinted at the probability of his separation from their Majesties; and, what a new source of anguish would not such a privation occasion in the Queen!—My mind was filled with these tormenting thoughts, when the King advanced towards me, holding in his hand the bread which had been brought him. Offering me the half of it, he said, "They have forgot your breakfast, it seems; accept of this, the remainder is enough for me." I declined it; but he insisted on my compliance. I could not suppress my tears; the King perceived them, and allowed his own to fall.

At ten o'clock, other Municipal Officers brought in the workmen to proceed in fitting up the apartment. One of these officers informed the King, that he had just been standing by whilst his family breakfasted, and that they were in good health. "I thank you," answered the King; "I pray you to impart to them intelligence of me, and to say that I am well. Cannot I have some books," he added, which I left in the Queen's apartment? You will oblige me, in sending them hither, for I have nothing to read." His Maj-

* The Countess of Sutherland, Lady of the English Ambassador, found means to send the Queen some linen and other articles intended for the Dauphin. Her Majesty ordered me shortly afterwards to return them to her Ladyship, accompanied by a letter of thanks written in her name. (At this time her Majesty was deprived of pen and ink.) The Municipal Officers, however, would not allow them to be sent back, but kept both the linen and the other articles.

ity mentioned the books which he wanted. The officer confided; but, being unable to read, he proposed that I should accompany him. I felicitated myself on his ignorance, and blessed Providence for having vouchsafed me this transient consolation. The King charged me with some orders; his eyes expressed the rest.

I found the Queen in her apartment, surrounded by her children and Madame Elizabeth. They were all weeping; and my entrance increased their agitation. They put a thousand questions respecting the King, which I was constrained to answer with cautious reserve. The Queen, addressing herself to the Municipal Officers who had accompanied me, earnestly renewed her request of being admitted to the King, for at least a few moments daily, and at the time of meals. Their lamentations and tears were now swallowed up in shrieks of despair. "Well, well," said a Municipal Officer, they shall dine together to-day; but, as our conduct is subjected to the arrête of the Commune, we shall conform ourselves to-morrow to its injunctions." In these sentiments his colleagues coincided. At the very idea of revisiting the King, something like a gleam of joy penetrated the hearts of this unhappy family. The Queen, clasping her children in her arms, Madame Elizabeth, with hands uplifted towards Heaven, adored the Almighty for this unexpected felicity, and exhibited a spectacle the most interesting. Some of the Municipal Officers could not withhold their tears (the only tears which I saw them shed in this frightful abode.) One of them, the shoemaker Simon, said, audibly enough, "I fancy these b—s of women could make me weep!"—then addressing the Queen, "When you were destroying the people, on the 10th of August, there was no weeping among you."—The Queen replied, "The people is extremely deluded with respect to our feelings."

I then collected and carried to the King the books which he wanted. The Municipal Officers went in along with me, to announce to his Majesty that he should see his family. I remarked to the officers that I might doubtless continue in the service of the young Prince and Princess. To this they assented. I was thus enabled to unfold to the Queen what was passing, and all the sufferings of the King since his separation from his family. Dinner was served up in the King's apartment where his family was assembled, and one might form an estimate of the terrors which had alarmed them, from the emotion which they now displayed. We heard no more of the arrête of the Commune, and the Royal Family continued to meet together at the time of meals, as well as in their walks. After dinner, they shewed the Queen the apartment which was preparing for her above that of the King. She besought the workmen to finish it speedily; but three weeks elapsed after this period, whilst they were accomplishing their task.

Meanwhile I continued my attendance as well on their Majesties, as on the young Prince and the Princesses. Their employments were nearly the same as formerly. The assiduity of the King in instructing his son experienced no interruption, but the residence of the Royal Family in two separate towers, whilst it rendered the vigilance of the Municipal Officers more difficult, rendered it also more irksome. Their number was increased, and their suspicion left me few means of being informed of what occurred abroad. The following are those of which I availed myself: I obtained leave for my wife to come to the Temple once a week, under the semblance of bringing for me linen and other necessaries; she was always accompanied by a female friend, who passed for her relation. No one evinced a more cordial affection for the Royal Family, than this lady, in the measures which she undertook, and the risks which she ran on many occasions. On their arrival I was sent for to the Council Chamber, but I was allowed to converse with them only in the presence of the Municipal Officers, who watched us closely. Their first visits therefore by no means answered my design. I intimated to them the expediency of coming in future at one in the afternoon. This was the time of walking, during which most of the Municipal Officers used to follow the Royal Family, and when only one remained in the Council Chamber; so that when a civil man happened to be left, he allowed us a little more freedom, without, however, permitting us to be out of his sight.

Having thus facilitated our speaking without being overheard, I enquired about the persons for whom the Royal Family were interested, and I learned what was going forward in the Convention. It was my wife who had engaged the crier whom I have already mentioned, to come daily to the precincts of the Temple, and to proclaim, with many repetitions, the substance of the journals. To these notices I added what I could learn from some Municipal officers, and above all from a very trusty servant of the King's table, who from attachment to his Majesty, had got himself and two of his comrades, Marchand and Chretien, employed in the Temple. These brought into the Tower the viands of the Royal Family, which were dressed in a kitchen at a considerable distance. They were besides employed to purchase provisions, and Turgi going in his turn twice or thrice in the week, was enabled to procure intelligence of what was passing.

The difficult point was to communicate to me his information, as they would not allow me to speak to him except about the service of the Royal Family, and then only in the presence of the Municipal Officers. When, therefore, he had something to tell me, he made a sign agreed on, and I contrived to detain him under various pretences. I sometimes begged him to comb my hair, whilst Madame Elizabeth, who knew my intention, kept talking with the Municipal Officers. I thus found the time necessary for our conversations. At other times I feigned an errand for him into my room; he seized the opportunity to throw under my bed the journals, memorials, and other papers which he had procured for me.

To be continued.

SEQUESTERATIONS. &c.
July 31.—JOHN AND WILLIAM DONALDS, Merchants in Greenock.—Creditors to meet in James Fraser's, vintner there, on Wednesday the 15th August, at one P.M. to choose an interim factor; and on the 12th September, to chuse a trustee.

Creditors of JOHN GEEKE, Draper and Cattle-dealer at Keithock, to meet in John Martin's, vintner, Brechin, on the 21st August, at noon, to take into consideration matters of importance.

To the CREDITORS OF
JOHN DURNO, Advocate in Aberdeen.

THE Creditors of the said JOHN DURNO, or their Agents properly authorised, are requested to meet within the house of George Ronald, vintner in Aberdeen, upon Wednesday the 13th day of August next, at 12 noon, in order to concert measures for the proper management of his affairs.

LANDS OF CATIE, IN ABERDEENSHIRE. TO BE SOLD.

THE LANDS OF CATIE, lying in the parish of Tough, and the Meadow Lands of Pittushill and Newbigging, in the parish of Keig. This property consists altogether of about 156 acres Scotch measure of arable land, exclusive of dykes, roads, and avenues, 157 acres of young wood, in a very thriving condition, and above 200 acres of green glens, pasture, and hill. Less than one fourth of the arable land only is under lease, most of the remainder is unbroken, and in the highest state of cultivation, each field having a belt of wood around it, and a stream of running water within or that may easily be introduced at the highest part. There are on the premises a new mansion house, which commands a complete view of the country of Alford, and a set of offices sufficient for a large farm. The lands are clear of any thirthing or affliction, and the teinds were valued and exhausted before any improvements were made.

For further particulars, application may be made to Alexander Grant, W. S. Edinburgh, Alexander Moir, Esq. of Scottown, or John Durno, advocate in Aberdeen.

LANDS IN KINCARDINESHIRE, FOR SALE.

To be Sold by public roup, within the Royal Exchange Coffee-house, Edinburgh, on the 20th of November next, if not previously sold by private bargain,

THE LANDS OF PITNAMON, DRONACHMYRE, and Part of GALLOWHILLLOCK, being Parts of the Barony of PERSHO, lying within the parishes of Fordoun and Marykirk, and county of Kincardine.

The lands consist of about 360 acres arable, 70 of pasture, and 58 of muir, on which there is a thriving plantation of moderate endurance, at a rent of 90l. on the expiry of which a considerable rise of rent will be obtained—and the proprietor has lately, at a great price, purchased up the lease on the rest of the property, being a farm of 200 acres arable, besides pasture—to which a purchaser will have access at Martismas 1799. On this farm there is a good farm-house, lately built with suitable offices, and it may be readily let at above 200 per annum.

The lands hold of the Crown, and are valued at 390l. per annum. A purchaser, if he inclines, may have as much more of pasture as will make up a freehold qualification. The pasturage fees are moderate, and the teinds are valued, and nearly haufed.

John Gore will shew the marches, and Mr Johnston at noon, will give any information that may be required as to any person desirous of viewing the grounds; and for further particulars apply to Maxwell Gordon and John Morrison, Esqrs.

SALE OF LANDS IN LANARK-SHIRE.

To be Sold, within the Royal Exchange Coffee-house of Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 22d day of August next, at one o'clock afternoon,

SEVERAL PARTS AND PORTIONS of the Lands and Barony of SYMINGTON, lying in the parish of Symington, and shire of Lanark; including the Vills called SYMINGTON LODGE, and Farm thereto annexed, with the Mill and Mill Lands of Symington, and arrestrid mulures; as also severally farms to the amount in whole of about 280l. sterling per year rent.

The Lands are to be exposed to sale, to hold in of the Proprietor.—Are most pleasantly situated on the banks of the river Clyde, in a healthy country, having the populous village of Symington immediately adjacent, and being within three miles of Biggar, and eight of Lanark, the county town;—In which respects they well merit the attention of persons desirous to establish cotton mills, bleach-fields, or other manufactures where a command of water, and a considerable population are reckoned of advantage. There are leases upon the lands yielding about 180l. ster. of yearly rent. But the villa old farm of Symington Lodge, rated at 200l. per annum, is the natural piffle of the proprietor, and may be entered to at Martismas. The whole are capable of the highest improvement; and as the villa of Symington Lodge, in the immediate vicinity of the Clyde, was built for, and has been occupied by a gentleman of genteel family, having coach-house and other suitable offices, gentlemen engaged in manufactures or agriculture, or fond of the country amusements of fishing, hunting, and shooting, will find the premises a most desirable, as well as profitable acquisition.

There are already considerable plantations on different parts of the estate upon which no value is put, although they are not only an ornament to the country, but would even at present fetch a considerable price; and the Proprietor has referred pieces of ground from several of the farms for the purpose of forming additional plantations, which a purchaser may exact according to his own taste.

If intending offerers shall signify an inclination to have the premises exposed in lots instead of in *en masse*, the articles of sale shall be so framed as to suit them; provided there appears probability of disposing of the whole subjects to be sold in this way.

William Smyth at Symington will shew the several farms intended to be exposed to sale; and for further particulars, application may be made to James Hume, clerk to the signet, Merchant Street, Edinburgh, who is authorized to sell by public bargain between the day of noon.

SALE OR LEASE OF LANDS IN THE COUNTY OF FIFE.

To be Sold by public roup, within the house of Mrs Field, vintner in Arbroath, on Saturday the first day of September 1798—if not previously disposed of by private bargain;

THE LANDS of WEST KIRKTON, consisting of 150 acres, or thereby, lying in the parish of St. Vigeans, about a mile from the town and harbour of Arbroath. The lands have within these three years been not only highly improved, and tilled with dung and lime, but an excellent building of offices and farm dwelling house have been erected on them, at a very considerable expence; and as the proprietor has recently bought up the lease of the farm, a purchaser may enter to the whole at Martismas next, with the exception of about 20 acres under lease to four small tenants, who pay a rent of 36l. 13s. 1d. per annum, (instead of 34l. as formerly advertised by mistake.)

An inventory of the title deeds, which are unexceptionable, is in the hands of Colin Bruce, Arbroath, to whom, or to the proprietor at Hospitalfield, intending purchasers may apply for further particulars.

If these lands are not sold, they will be let for 19 years after Martismas next.

John Croal, the present tenant, will shew the lands and marks.

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